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Applicant : Jat Yuen Richard Liew et al.
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Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND ELECTION OF SPECIES

Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated November 6, 2009. A request for a four-month extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith.

Applicant elects the invention identified at page 2 of the subject Office Action as:

"I. Claims 1-11, drawn to a deployable structure."

Applicant makes this election with traverse. In applicant's opinion, no significant burden would be imposed by examination of all pending claims 1 through 18.

In response to the requirement of an election of species, applicant elects species A. All of claims 1-11 fall within this species. Applicant also makes this election with traverse. In applicant's opinion, no significant burden would be imposed by examination of all species.